
Encampment in front of our building

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Cc: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] <ag[REDACTED]@[REDACTED]>

Tue, May 21, 2019 at 11:13 AM

Hello Mr. Fregoso:

As you can see, now the encampment has moved right in front of our building, and prospective renters make the appointments and they are not even interested to see the units and our existing tenants are angry, and I am concerned that the situation is just getting worst. For the last 10 months we have had encampments in front of our building and within less than one block radius non stop, just moving 1/2 a block. The situation is out of control, and I expect the City to take some action, please advise.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

On 5/21/19, 10:06 AM, [REDACTED] wrote:

Yesterday an additional tent and this morning a new one smack in front of our building.

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Tue, May 21, 2019 at 5:34 PM

Hello Mr. Fregoso,

Thank you for all the assistance in the past you have provided for the encampments around our building. Unfortunately, this process doesn't seem to work. As soon as you clear out a few tents, a couple of days later they come back in. It will always be the case, since we have a lovely flat, green lawn in our parkways, which is very accommodating to tent living. I spoke this morning to the Parks and Rec department in charge of the Occidental Parkway and they informed me that they would be happy to either put up a barrier (such as the netting around Occidental Blvd between 3rd and 6th Streets) or even better, fill the parkway with plants that make it hard to pitch tents, such as agaves or roses (of which there are some planted in parts of the parkway). According to the man I spoke with, they need approval from your office to perform this work. They informed me that if you contact Juan Benitez (of Parks and Rec for Occidental Parkway) and give the ok, they can do the work. The reason the barrier is up between 3rd and 6th is that the City Council office for that district (I guess 3rd Street is the boundary line to your district) approved them putting up the barrier by Parks and Rec.

I know it is a pain to hear from my Mother every other day and you have better things to do with your time, so I am offering a solution, but unfortunately I am not in a position to fill it, only suggest it. I look forward to hearing your thoughts and consideration on how we can find a permanent solution to the Occidental Parkway homeless encampments.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

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